

ate resolutions when introduced, may, by a majority vote, be considered immediately and that, since such vote had not as yet been made, no further debate of Senate Resolution No. 237 is in order.

Pending discussion of the point of order, Senator Shireman demanded that the point of order be immediately decided, which was duly seconded.

The presiding officer (Senator Martin in the Chair), submitted the question: "Shall the point of order be now decided?"

The question prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—18

Ashley	Phillips
Bell	Rogers
Bracewell	of Childress
Colson	Russell
Fuller	Sadler
Latimer	Shireman
Lock	Strauss
Martin	Wagonseller
Moore	Willis
Parkhouse	

Nays—10

Aikin	Lane
Corbin	McDonald
Hardeman	Moffett
Kazen	Rutherford
Kelley	Secrest

Absent

Hazlewood	Weinert
Rogers of Travis	

The presiding officer (Senator Martin in the Chair), ruled that the point of order, even if it would have been good at the time the resolution was introduced, the privilege of raising the point of order had now been waived and the point of order was overruled.

Senator Bell offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend the Resolving Clause of S. R. No. 237 by striking out the words "adjourned until 10:30 a. m., Wednesday morning" and inserting in lieu thereof "recessed until 10 p. m. today."

The amendment was adopted.

(President in the Chair.)

Senator Moffett continued discussion of the resolution, as amended.

(Senator Bracewell in the Chair.)

(April 22, 1953)

Pending further discussion by Senator Moffett of the resolution, as amended, Senator Hardeman moved that the Senate stand adjourned until 2:30 o'clock p. m. today.

Yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—10

Corbin	McDonald
Hardeman	Moffett
Kazen	Rutherford
Kelley	Secrest
Lane	Wagonseller

Nays—16

Aikin	Parkhouse
Ashley	Phillips
Bell	Rogers
Bracewell	of Childress
Colson	Sadler
Fuller	Shireman
Latimer	Strauss
Lock	Willis
Martin	

Absent

Hazlewood	Russell
Moore	Weinert
Rogers of Travis	

Question—Shall S. R. No. 237 be adopted?

Message From the Governor

The presiding officer laid before the Senate and directed the Reading Clerk to read the following Message from the Governor:

Austin, Texas,
April 21, 1953.

To the Members of the Fifty-third Legislature:

Complying with House Concurrent Resolution No. 67, I am returning herewith House Bill No. 500 for correction.

Respectfully submitted,
ALLAN SHIVERS,
Governor of Texas.

House Concurrent Resolution 69 on
Second Reading

Senator Bell asked unanimous con-

sent of the Senate to suspend the regular order of business to take up and consider H. C. R. No. 69 at this time.

There was objection.

Senator Bell then moved to suspend the regular order of business and take up H. C. R. No. 69 for consideration at this time.

Senator Hardeman raised the point of order that under Senate Rule 47 all motions shall be reduced to writing and read by the Secretary.

The presiding officer (Senator Bracewell in the Chair), ruled that the point of order was well taken and was sustained.

Senator Bell then submitted the following motion in writing:

I move to suspend the regular order of business so that the Senate may take up and consider at this time H. C. R. No. 69.

JOHN J. BELL

Question—Shall the regular order of business be suspended to take up and consider H. C. R. No. 69 at this time?

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—20

Aikin	Moore
Ashley	Parkhouse
Bell	Phillips
Bracewell	Rogers
Colson	of Childress
Corbin	Sadler
Fuller	Shireman
Kazen	Strauss
Latimer	Wagonseller
Lock	Willis
Martin	

Nays—7

Hardeman	Moffett
Kelley	Rutherford
Lane	Secrest
McDonald	

Absent

Hazlewood	Russell
Rogers of Travis	Weinert

The presiding officer laid before the Senate for consideration at this time the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 69—Suspending the Joint Rules in order that the House

may take up and consider H. B. No. 622.

The resolution was read second time.

Senator Hardeman raised the point of order that all resolutions must be printed and H. C. R. No. 69 has not been printed.

The presiding officer (Senator Bracewell in the Chair), overruled the point of order stating that the adoption of the previous motion had the effect of suspending all rules necessary to take up and consider the resolution at this time.

Senator Bell offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend H. C. R. No. 69 by adding a new paragraph to read as follows:

Be it further resolved, that the joint rules be suspended and same are hereby suspended in order that the Senate may take up and consider S. J. R. No. 1 on Wednesday, April 22 and/or Thursday, April 23, 1953.

The amendment was read.

Senator Kelley raised the point of order that the amendment was not germane to the resolution.

The presiding officer (Senator Bracewell in the Chair), overruled the point of order.

Leave of Absence

Senator Russell was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Hardeman.

**House Concurrent Resolution 69
on Second Reading**

Senator Bell moved the previous question on the resolution and the pending amendment and the motion was duly seconded.

Question—Shall the previous question be now put?

The motion for the previous question was lost by the following vote:

Yeas—11

Ashley	Latimer
Bell	Parkhouse
Bracewell	Rogers
Colson	of Childress
Corbin	Shireman
Fuller	Strauss

Nays—15

Aikin	Moffett
Hardeman	Phillips
Kazen	Rutherford
Kelley	Sadler
Lane	Secrest
Lock	Wagonseller
Martin	Willis
McDonald	

Absent

Hazlewood	Rogers of Travis
Moore	Weinert

Absent—Excused

Russell

Senator Phillips raised the point of order that there was not a quorum of the Senate present.

The presiding officer directed the Reading Clerk to call the roll of the Senate.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Parkhouse
Ashley	Phillips
Bell	Rogers
Bracewell	of Childress
Colson	Sadler
Fuller	Shireman
Latimer	Strauss
Lock	Wagonseller
Martin	Willis
Moffett	

Absent

Corbin	McDonald
Hardeman	Moore
Hazlewood	Rogers of Travis
Kazen	Rutherford
Kelley	Secrest
Lane	Weinert

Absent—Excused

Russell

The presiding officer announced that there was not a quorum of the Senate present.

Senator Phillips moved a Call of the Senate to secure and maintain a quorum until the pending resolution and pending amendment were disposed of, and the motion was duly seconded.

A Call of the Senate was ordered by the following vote:

Yeas—14

Ashley	Bell
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Bracewell	Rogers
Colson	of Childress
Fuller	Sadler
Latimer	Shireman
Martin	Strauss
Parkhouse	Willis
Phillips	

Nays—4

Aikin	Moffett
Lock	Wagonseller

Absent

Corbin	McDonald
Hardeman	Moore
Hazlewood	Rogers of Travis
Kazen	Rutherford
Kelley	Secrest
Lane	Weinert

Absent—Excused

Russell

The presiding officer directed the Reading Clerk to call the roll for the purpose of ascertaining the absentees. The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Parkhouse
Ashley	Phillips
Bell	Rogers
Bracewell	of Childress
Colson	Sadler
Fuller	Shireman
Latimer	Strauss
Lock	Wagonseller
Martin	Willis
Moffett	

Absent

Corbin	Moore
Hardeman	Rogers of Travis
Hazlewood	Russell
Kazen	Rutherford
Kelley	Secrest
Lane	Weinert
McDonald	

The presiding officer then directed the Secretary to give the list of absentees to the Sergeant-at-Arms and that the absentees be requested to return to the Senate but if absentees did not return voluntarily they were to be arrested and brought back to the Senate Chamber.

Senator Bell moved that the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate be empowered and directed to enlist the aid of the law enforcement officers of the City of Austin, the Sheriff's Department, County of Travis, and the Department of Public Safety to bring

into the Senate all Members in the city of Austin who were not ill.

There was no objection offered.

Question—Shall the amendment, by Senator Bell, to H. C. R. No. 69 be adopted?

At Ease

The presiding officer at 12:40 o'clock a. m. announced that the Senate would stand at ease pending the securing of a quorum.

In Legislative Session

(Senator Bracewell in the Chair.)

The presiding officer called the Senate to order as in Legislative Session at 3:06 o'clock a. m. and directed the Reading Clerk to call the roll. The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Phillips
Ashley	Rogers
Bell	of Childress
Bracewell	Rogers of Travis
Colson	Russell
Fuller	Rutherford
Latimer	Sadler
Lock	Shireman
Martin	Strauss
Moffett	Wagonseller
Parkhouse	Willis

Absent

Corbin	Lane
Hardeman	McDonald
Hazlewood	Moore
Kazen	Secrest
Kelley	Weinert

The presiding officer announced a quorum of the Senate present.

House Concurrent Resolution 69 on Second Reading

The Senate resumed consideration of the pending business, same being H. C. R. No. 69 with an amendment by Senator Bell pending.

Question—Shall the amendment by Senator Bell to H. C. R. No. 69 be adopted?

Pending discussion by Senator Moffett of the amendment, Senator Strauss moved the previous question on the pending amendment and the resolution and the motion was duly seconded.

Question—Shall the previous question now be put?

The previous question was ordered by the following vote:

Yeas—11

Ashley	Rogers of Travis
Bell	Russell
Bracewell	Sadler
Fuller	Shireman
Latimer	Strauss
Parkhouse	

Nays—10

Aikin	Rogers
Colson	of Childress
Lock	Rutherford
Martin	Wagonseller
Moffett	Willis
Phillips	

Absent

Corbin	Lane
Hardeman	McDonald
Hazlewood	Moore
Kazen	Secrest
Kelley	Weinert

Question first on adoption of the amendment by Senator Bell, the amendment was adopted.

Question next recurring on the adoption of H. C. R. No. 69, the resolution, as amended, was then adopted by the following vote:

Yeas—18

Aikin	Phillips
Ashley	Rogers
Bell	of Childress
Bracewell	Russell
Colson	Sadler
Fuller	Shireman
Latimer	Strauss
Lock	Wagonseller
Martin	Willis
Parkhouse	

Nays—3

Moffett	Rutherford
Rogers of Travis	

Absent

Corbin	Lane
Hardeman	McDonald
Hazlewood	Moore
Kazen	Secrest
Kelley	Weinert

Conference Committee on Differences Between Two Houses on H. B. 79

Senator Shireman called from the

President's table for consideration at this time, the request of the House for a conference committee to adjust the differences between the two Houses on H. B. No. 79 and moved that the request be granted.

The motion to grant the request prevailed.

Senate Joint Resolution 2 With House Amendments

Senator Parkhouse called S. J. R. No. 2 from the President's table for consideration of the House amendments to the bill.

The presiding officer laid the resolution and House amendments before the Senate, and the House amendments were read.

Senator Parkhouse moved that the Senate do not concur in the House amendments, but that a conference committee be appointed to adjust the differences between the two Houses on the resolution.

The motion prevailed.

Motion to Recommit Senate Bill 167

Senator Wagon seller moved to recommit Senate Bill No. 167 to the Committee on Labor.

Question—Shall S. B. No. 167 be re-committed to the Committee on Labor?

Recess

Senator Latimer raised the point of order that there was not a quorum of the Senate present.

The presiding officer directed the Reading Clerk to call the roll.

The roll was called and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Phillips
Ashley	Rogers
Bell	of Childress
Bracewell	Rogers of Travis
Fuller	Russell
Latimer	Sadler
Moffett	Shireman
Moore	Strauss
Parkhouse	Wagon seller

Absent

Colson	Kelley
Corbin	Lane
Hardeman	Lock
Hazlewood	Martin
Kazen	McDonald

Rutherford	Weinert
Secrest	Willis

The presiding officer announced that there was not a quorum of the Senate present.

Senator Phillips moved the Senate stand recessed until 10:00 o'clock a. m. on Thursday.

Senator Shireman moved the Senate stand recessed until 2:30 o'clock p. m. on Wednesday.

Yeas and nays were demanded.

Question first on the motion by Senator Phillips, the motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—12

Aikin	Moffett
Ashley	Parkhouse
Bell	Phillips
Bracewell	Rogers of Travis
Fuller	Shireman
Latimer	Strauss

Nays—6

Colson	Russell
Moore	Sadler
Rogers	Wagon seller
of Childress	

Absent

Corbin	Martin
Hardeman	McDonald
Hazlewood	Rutherford
Kazen	Secrest
Kelley	Weinert
Lane	Willis
Lock	

Accordingly, the Senate at 4:15 o'clock a. m. took recess until 10:00 o'clock a. m. on Thursday, April 23, 1953.

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After Recess

The Senate met at 10:00 o'clock a. m., and was called to order by the President pro tempore.

Leaves of Absence

Senator Weinert was granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Martin.